Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—I want notice.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എം. ഇബ്രാഹിം.—ഇതു് ഒരു സാധാരണ മരണമല്ല; ദുർമ്മരണമാണെന്നു ബഹുമാനപ്പെട്ട കമ്മീഷണർക്കു തോന്നീട്ടുണ്ടോ ?

മിസ്റ്റർ പി. നീലകണ്ഠമേനോൻ.—തോന്നീട്ടില്ല.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എം. ഇബ്രാഹിം.—പോലീസു് ഡിപ്പാർട്ട്മെൻറ് എൻകൂയറിയല്ലെ നടത്തിയതു് ?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—I think he died of kidney disease.

മിസ്റ്റർ കെ. എം. ഇബ്രാഹിം.— ഈ സംഗതിയേക്കുറിച്ചുള്ള അറിവു് അന്വേഷണത്തിൽനിന്നു കിട്ടുവാൻ വിഷമമുണ്ടോ ?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—The matter is under enquiry. A report has been called for by the Government from the D. S. P. That is being awaited.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Independent of the enquiry is it not possible to get the information in (d) and (c)?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—Oh yes.

Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.—Why that information at least was not given?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—The D. S. P. has been asked to submit a report which will necessarily contain all these things. That has not been received.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I point out to the President that question (d) is when was the dead body received at the hospital and (c) is, what was the reason for the death noted in the post-mortem certificate. Clubbing these along with (c) the question comes to what is the result of the enquiry and the answer supplied is that no information can be supplied. May I know, Sir, what harm there is in divulging when exactly the dead body was received at the hospital and what was the result of the post-mortem examination. These will not affect the enquiry. One can very well understand if it was what was the result of the enquiry.

President.—I don't think there is any objection.

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—When it is said that the matter is under enquiry it only means that the Government have called for a report. We are awaiting for a report from the D. S. P.

President.—Has the Hon'ble Member got this particular information?

Mr. P. Nilakanta Menon.—No, I have not got the file.

Expenditure on College Extension works.

301. Mr. A. Sankara Poduval.—Will the Government be pleased to state what amount has been spent hitherto, in connection with College extension scheme at Ernakulam—

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(1) for land acquisition ;
(2) construction of buildings ;
and (3) equipment ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(1) Rs. 3,03,302-1-0.
(2) Rs. 2,89,433—10—8.
(3) Rs. 81,638—5—9.

Production and export of paddy.

302. Mr. A. Sankara Poduval.—Will the Government be pleased to state how much paddy was produced in the State this year, and how much of it was exported from the State ?

Mr. K. Achyuta Menon.—Government have no information.

Release of Shaikkannan from Jail.

303. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) why convict Shaikkannan was not released from the Jail, in spite of the unanimous recommendation of the Jail Release Committee consisting of the Inspector-General of Prisons, the Sessions Judge of Trichur and the non-official visitor Dr. A. R. Menon ;

(b) what are the probationary rules framed for conditional release of prisoners ;

(c) is it not a fact that the Civil Surgeon certified that in his opinion the man was developing symptoms of tuberculosis?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) The recommendation was not in accordance with the rules.

(b) Rules 477—480 D of the Jail rules.

(c) The Chief Medical Officer has reported that there are signs of tuberculosis. But a certificate as contemplated in Rule 478 has not been received by the Government.

Appointment of the Asst. Jailor.

304. Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the date of the order appointing M. Sankara Menon, a clerk in the District Magistrate's Court, as acting Assistant Jailor in the Central Jail, Trichur ; and

(b) the date on which he was released ; and

(c) the date on which he took charge in the Central Jail ; and also

(d) for the number of days he was paid as clerk of the District Magistrate's Court ?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) 31—10—1107.
(b) 1—11—1107.
(c) 2—11—1107.
(d) For 31—10—1107 and 1—11—1107.

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